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|  |  | Ireena gargFAMILY DAY CARE EDUCATORCITY OF WHITTLESEA |
| Profile**OPEN:** Monday-Friday 6:30am to 6:30pmSchool holiday care also available**YEARS IN CHILD CARE SECTOR:** 10years **QUALIFICATIONS:** Diploma of Early Childhood Education and CareFirst aid trainingAnaphylaxis trainingAsthma trainingWorking With Children CheckNational Police Check**SUBURB:**MerndaContact**PHONE:**0450049055WEBSITE:[www.whittlesea.vic.gov.au/Services/Support-for-people/Children-and-families/Family-day-care](http://www.whittlesea.vic.gov.au/Services/Support-for-people/Children-and-families/Family-day-care)For more information about Family Day Care phone **9217 2170** or email **familydaycare@whittlesea.vic.gov.au****.** |  | about meI have been in the childcare industry for more than 10 years. I have worked in long day care service. I have done some private baby sitting for children and now I have decided to move to my own Family Day care. This will help me maintain a work life balance and nurture a small group of children and teach them in a nice and safe environment. My family consists of my husband and 2 boys aged 7 and 9 years old. I love cooking and reading. I love to have fun with the little children.ABOUT MY SERVICE I believe that each child is an individual and as an educator, I will value and develop each child's strengths, interests, skills, abilities and knowledge to extend their learning. I also believe that the best way to learn is through play.At Tiny Steps Family Day Care we provide:* Fun activities
* Nature walks
* Story-time at library
* Playgroups
* Growing vegetables and fruits in our garden
* School pickup and drop off at St. Joseph Primary School
* Cooking experiences
* Sensory experiences
* Art and Craft
* Music and dance

ABOUT MY FACILITIESIndoors I provide a warm, friendly and engaging environment where children can feel safe, secure and supported in their activities. There is a home corner, little library, arts and crafts station and more. Outdoors you’ll find a cubbyhouse for imaginative play, sandpit, mud kitchen and veggie garden.  |